this purpose. The State Government has been informed about the above position.

Scam in printing of catalogue of Nizam's exhibition

†140. SHRI RAMA SHANKER KAUSHIK: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a senior officer of the Ministry of Tourism has caused a loss of crores of Rupees to Government for printing of catalogue of Nizam's exhibition in the National Museum;

(b) if so, whether Government have taken any action against the officer involved in this scam by conducting an inquiry into the same, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN) (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Desert Triangle Scheme for Kutch District

141. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have forwarded a duly recommended proposal "Desert Triangle", Scheme for Kutch district for a loan/ assistance from Overseas Economic Cooperation Fund (OECF) of Japan;

(b) whether the proposal could not be included in this list submitted to the Government of Japan for OECF loan package of 1997-98;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the same was included thereafter; and

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.